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SCANNING MODULE FOR A BAR CODE

READER WITH A FOCUSING LENS

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 18, 2003, please amend this patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this Response.